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Attorney Docket No.	04597 (3883.00041)
First Inventor	Dry et al.
Title	NO-SPILL BEVERAGE-STORAGE SYSTEM...
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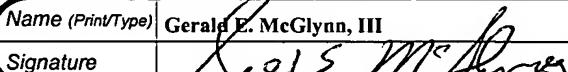
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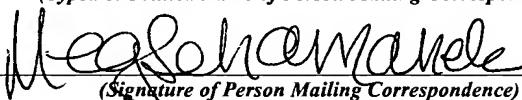
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